

**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.
15436.133.1

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In Re Application Of: **Johnny Zhong, et al.**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/712,066	November 13, 2003	Kaveh C. Kianni	022913	2883	7926

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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of July 13, 2005 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: **October 13, 2005** Date _____ until: **November 13, 2005** Date _____

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	25 -	28 =	0	x \$50.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	3 -	3 =	0	x \$200.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$120.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$120.00

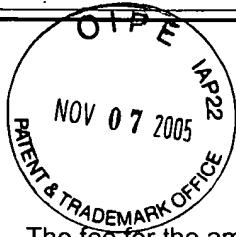
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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of _____ for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of _____
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3178
- Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
 - Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-3178
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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Dated: November 7, 2005

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